Electricity Authority work programme calendar*

enhancements consultation

November 2025 to July 2026



2025 > 2026 > Strategic outcomes November December January February March April May July June Consumer Care Bill simplification Reconciled annual Price barriers to Annual levy rates Removing barriers Connection pricing Level playing field **Obligations** levy rates year end efficient connection set for 2026/27 in effect for efficient fast track measures **Affordable** measures Code compliance report 30 June 25 of distribution in effect connection to decision Time-of-use Consumers have easy access to networks decision distribution Digitalisation Comparison and requirement in affordable electricity, and many consultation Peak network system map switching website effect choices of electricity supplier to injection in effect launch meet their needs Market making Evolving retailing review consultation and switching Billing decision Consumption data (incl. super-peak decision standards decision contract) Product data standards decision Consumption Market making Levy consultation data standards review decision Review of consultation distributed Maximising benefits generation pricing from local electricity principles generation decision consultation Battery energy Part 8 Common TPM enhancements Industrial demand Part 8 Common Part 8 Common Security standards storage systems quality Code decision flexibility decision quality - frequency quality and assumptions Secure and resilient enhancements amendments options decision BESS/Hybrid document review decision frequency, voltage, **Emergency Reserve** System Operator AOPOs issues and New Zealand's electricity supply Code terminology info gathering Scheme decision options Part 8 Common is reliable, secure and recovers Part 8 Common **Energy margins** powers decision consultation quickly from shocks quality Code quality - voltage Clause 2.16 decision amendments options decision Industrial demand proposals - info Part 8 Common flex consultation requirements quality - information Energy margins requirements Part 8 Common decision Clause 2.16 quality consultation consultation - options for Battery energy harmonics storage systems

Other release

^{*} These timings are indicative and subject to Electricity Authority Board decisions and feedback on consultations.